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President Roberts Submits Report of Year's Work

103 ALARMS IN 1921

During Year an Average of 22 Men Responded to Each Fire Alarm and Company Was in Service 28 Hours.

Columbia Engine and Motor Company No. 4, at its annual meeting held last night elected these officers to serve for the ensuing year: Norman Roberts, president; G. A. Simpson, first vice president; Charles B. Cook, second vice president; Wilton B. Arrington, secretary; E. S. Leadbeater, treasurer; J. W. Schneider, captain; Clarence Metzger, first lieutenant; L. H. Deeton, second lieutenant; Joseph W. Padgett, commander of hose; R. S. Johnson, chef of company. Each paid member was given a present by the volunteers and the sum of $3.84 was collected for the newsboy.

Report of President Roberts submitted follows:

January 4, 1922

To the Officers and Members of Columbia Engine and Motor Co. No. 4.

Gentlemen, I hereby submit my fourth quarterly report as president.

Doing this quarter we have been very busy answering the call for help against fire. A great many of our alarms did not call for service, as you will notice in this report.

We have been called out for service 33 times of which the following services were rendered:

19 non serviceable alarms.

4 alarms where we used 30 gallons of chemical.

10 active alarms where we were forced to use water using 5,300 feet of hose and 12 hours and 45 minutes service.

729 men responding to these alarms in this quarter.

You can readily see gentlemen that our company is ready for service at all times, whether day or night regardless of weather conditions.

Doing the year our company was represented at banquets held at the houses of Companies 1 and 5.

Doing October the body of Samuel Haynes, our brother member, was buried with full military honors at Arlington cemetery, our company sending a floral tribute as well as being represented.

December 14 representatives from our company as well as Nos. 1 and 5 headed by Chief Edward J. McDermott, paid our last respect of honor to the late John T. Harrison, who had worked for the interest of the firemen while a member of City Council.

Summary of our years work for service:

Our company responded to 103 alarms of fire.

Active service alarms 26 using 14,950 feet of hose.

Chemical alarms, 18, using 446 gallons of chemical.

Nonserviceable alarms, 59.

Total number of men responding from this company for duty, 2,263. an average of 22 men for the year. 28 hours 5 minutes service.

I wish to thank each member of the company as well as the paid men for the cooperation that each one has given doing the year that has been the means of advancing the old company higher than any time in our history. We are now nearing membership totaling 175, this includes both active and honorary members. I know we are all proud of the record that "COLUMBIA" has made this past year and let us look back with pride upon our record as a motto for greater service and action during the year 1922.

Yours Very Truly,
Norman Roberts, President.

First Baptist Calender

One of the many pretty calenders gotten out this year is that of the First Baptist Church.

The calender carries a handsome half tone photograph of the church together with a photograph of the pastor, Rev. Dr. E. B. Jackson and also a directory of the church services and a list of the church organizations.

Directly beneath the photograph of the pastor is the pastor's message, as follows: "The First Baptist Church desires to minister to the full round of human need. We are a simple New Testament Church establishd on democratic principles. Those who unite with us commit themselves to the teachings of the New Testament and seek to live by the Word of God as revealed in Jesus Christ, and made known to believers by the Holy Spirit. You are welcome to its priveleges and opportunities. Appearing on the calender are the advertisements of many of the merchants of the city.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

(From our Special Correspondent.)

Washington, Jan. 5.—American barbers are taboo by Admiral Baron Kato, head of the Japanese delegation to the Arms Conference. Although the Baron is probably seventy years of age, his face is almost as smooth as a baby's, but every once in a long while he has to visit a barber for a "scraping."

Apparently, the tonsorial artists at the National Capital are not as gentle on the Baron's face as the barbers of Tokyo, for the Japanese naval officer visited one of the down town stores yesterday and purchased a perfectly good safety razor with all the trimmings. Hereafter, whenever he wants a shave, monthly or semi-yearly as the case may be, he will perform the operation for himself.

French acquiescence in the American view on submarines, assuming that the way is now paved for adoption of the Root resolutions with the Balfour amendment, presages a world conference on submarines that will go far to remove the menace of underseas warfare, in the opinion of American naval experts.

It is well known that this government is most anxious to extend the scope of the Root resolutions to take in every nation capable of building and operating submarines and it is equally well known that the French in the last two weeks have also been agitating such a course. Informal conversations on the subject have already taken place and it is the confident belief here that if the Root ed that this conference, before it adresolutions are adopted unemasculatjourns, will provide for another conference that will take in every naval power and which will be asked to ratify the Root resolutions, thus providing new rules for underseas warfare.

The temporary flurry caused by publication of the alleged secret agreement of the French and Japanese in Siberia is over and the incident is closed with official denials of the authenticity of documents produced to prove existence of the agreement, but there is now no doubt in the minds of experts here that some sort of agreement on Siberian matters must be effected before the close of this conference.

If, therefore, the Chita government's charges have had no other effect, they have at least called attention of the world to the situation in Siberia where Japan occupies a position that has no justification whatever and which has been, since the time of Secretary of State Colby up to the time of the calling of this conference, the subject of several protests by this government.

The name of Walter S. Dickey, of Kansas City, Mo., has been brought to the attention of President Harding as a possible successor to Postmaster General Will H. Hays, in case the latter decides to accept the tempting offer made him by the moving picture corporation. Senator Spencer, of Missouri, is sponsor for the candidacy of Dickey, who is backed by the entire Republican organization of the state. Hays is giving the tender serious consideration but will not be ready with his reply until January 14.

Herbert C. Hoover, Secretary of Commerce, has been elected president of the newly organized Congressional Country Club, which has purchased a tract of 406 acres in Maryland, just off the Potomac River with a view to making it the "playground of officialdom."

Lieutenant Col. C. O. Sherrill aid to President Harding, has been made vice President while Representative Oscar R. Luhring, of Indiana, is chairman of the Board of Governors.

The membership of the club will be limited to 1500, including members of the Cabinet, Senators, Representatives army and navy officers, department officials and prominent business and professional men in Washington.

Despite the fact that President Harding has already spoken his mind very plainly concerning the formation of Congressional "blocs" in order to control legislation, there is nothing coming from the White House to indicate that the Chief Executive is displeased with the forthcoming appointment of Senator Porter J. McCumber, of North Dakota as Chairman of the Finance Committee to succeed the late Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania Senator McCumber is regarded as one of the leaders in the agricultural "bloc" in the Senate but there seems to be no doubt whatever about his elevation to the Chairmanship of this important committee.

Isaac Gregg.

Court Officials Guests Of the Kiwanis

Judge D. Lawrence Groner and officials of the United States Court for the Eastern district of Virginia, this afternoon were guests of the Kiwanis Club at the weekly luncheon of that club held in the Westminister building. Col. J. Y. Williams presided. A program of songs was given.

THE POSTMASTERSHIP

Republican Leaders Here Profess To Be At Sea As To Who Will Land Plum

Republican leaders here profess to be at sea as to who will be next postmaster of this city,. As the time approaches for the appointment interest becomes more pronounced. Five Alexandrians it is stated have filed the necessary papers which was their civil service examination.

The term of Dr. W. M. Smith, incumbent, expires January 24.

A prominent republican when questioned today by a representative of The Gazette on the subject stated that the appointment may not be made by January 24 and that on the other hand it might be made prior to that time.

Anyhow there is considerable interest over the appointment and no one will make a guess as to who will land the plum.

The job pays $3,300. All of the candidates appear sanguine and just now are marking time.

SAY COL. OPIE SHOT TWO MEN

Former Battalion Commander Says He Is Victim Of Diseased Mind

Washington, Jan. 4.—At a hearing that produced many drastic moments, two former service men, one from Baltimore and the other from Lynchburg, Va., told the Senate investigating committee today that Major H. L. Opie, of Staunton, Va., commander of a battalion of the One Hundred and Sixteenth infantry during the war, had shot in the back and killed two of his men.

Major Opie now a colonel in the Virginia National Guard and who was decorated for bravery in France, sat within a few feet of the former soldiers as they testified before the committee investigating charges of Senator Watson, of Gorgia, against the conduct of the war.

The tension was at its highest when William E. St. John, of Lynchburg, Va., turned on John A. Cutchins, of Richmond, attorney for Major Opie, and who served with him in the war, began his cross-examination. Mr. St. John, who admitted he was very nervous and tired, almost shouted:

"I know what you are driving at; just go ahead. You are insinuating that I am nuttly in the head. Now you just insinuate it one more time. I'll match my mind against yours any time."

"My dear sir I have nothing but the kindest feeling for you; I am not trying to embarrass you," smiling replied Mr. Cutchins.

Grayson H. Withrow, of 1414 Retreat street, Baltimore, and Mr. St. John were the other witnesses today against Major Opie, but many more are to follow.

Each witness, under cross examination, was unable to furnish numerous details about corelater incidents, but they testified unequivocally that Major Opie had shot two of his command. Mr. Withrow said he was kneeling in a shell hole when he saw Major Opie grab a rifle out of a soldier's hand and shoot down another soldier who was en route toward the rear.

Mr. St. John said he saw Major Opie kill a runner from the front lines to the rear when the messenger refused to halt at Opie's command. He accused Major Opie of taking the message from the pockets of the dead man. In this case, he said, Major Opie used his .45 automatic pistol.

Asked if he was testifying about the same killing as Mr. Withrow, the witness said he didn't know, as he hadn't heard the previous testimony but the stories of the two men later diverged to indicate that they were not attempting o tell of the same alleged occurrence.

After the hearing closed late today Major Opie told several spectators:

"I am the victim of diseased minds. These boys have never seen any such thing. We will bring a hundred men of my command here to prove that no such things ever happened, yet my name is plastered all over the newspapers on these charges."

Address By Mrs. Hibbert

At the meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary at St. Paul's Church, Friday afternoon at 3:30, Mrs. Molly Maddox Hibbert will give an address on the work being done in the Mountain Missions, connected with the University at Charlottesville. Mrs. Hibbert, who is well known in Alexandria, is a most interesting speaker.

Ladies of the other auxiliaries are invited as well as anyone interested in this work.

U. S. COURT TODAY

Today's session of the United States Court for the Eastern district of Virginia, Judge D. Lawrence Groner presiding, was taken up in hearing the case of the U. S. against Smith for an alleged violation of the Mann white slave law. Final arguments are being made before the jury this afternoon.

JAPAN ACCEPTS PRINCIPLE OF ROOT'S PLAN

Baron Kato Says Tokio Delegation Prepared to Consider Everything

SHANTUNG MATTER UP

Discussion of Issue by Japanese and Chinese Expected to be Completed by Tonight.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Japan has accepted, in principle, all the Root resolutions concerning the use of submarines, Admiral Baron Kato announced last night.

"We are prepared to discuss every thing at a meeting which may be held tomorrow," he added, "but I can not disclose now what we will say."

Progress was made also at a meeting of the Chinese and Japanese delegates on the subject of Shantung, and the communiques issued by the two delegations at the conclusion of the meeting announced that the meeting would resume tomorrow "when the discussion would be completed."

No comment was available from the delegates when they emerged from the meeting, but it was said that the Japanese delegation had received instructions from Tokio.

After a 5 day New Year's breathing space, the arms negotiations were resumed with an impetus that swept some of the most troublesome problems of the Conference almost to the point of decision.

A final agreement also was in sight on the question of a revised Chinese tariff. After a long argument the tariff subcommittee came together on a proposal to increase China's tariff schedules under an international commissional plan, and the Far Eastern committee of the whole is expected to ratify the decision tomorrow.

Among the naval experts so much progress was made with technical details of the naval limitation plan that in some quarters it was declared final disposition of the subject was only a question of hours. Precise regulations for scrapping ships and details of replacement were numbered among the day's agreement in the naval subcommittee.

On the question of submarine regulations, which has waited on further advices from the foreign capital, Japan contributed another step toward decision by accepting in principle the Root resolutions proposing to outlaw the use of submarines against merchant vessels and to make violations of submarine regulations acts of piracy. Italy alone remains to accept the propositions and a discussion by the full naval committee may take place late tomorrow.

At tomorrow's meeting of the Far Eastern Committee, however, new troubles may be encounterd through China's rquest that the famous "21 demands" be brought up for Conference discussion. A protest was lodged by Japan just before the last meeting of the committee, adjourned, and what promises to be a stubborn debate is expected by some delegates before the point is decided.

In some quarters also, considerable discussion is believed likely before there is a definite decision on the Root submarine proposals. France has indicated a desire to see some of the terms of the resolutions fully discussd and clearly defined, and although the French said last night they did not propose to press the point, it was indicated that some troublesome points probably would be injected into the conversations sooner or later, by some one of the foreign powers.

Meantime the American advisory committee met and canvassed opinion on the submarine question, with the result that the committee's previous position for retention of under water war craft within strict regulations was reaffirmed. Members said a survey of editorial comment and public opinion generally convinced them that the American people strongly desired that submarine operations be brought within the considerations of humane warfare.

Frenchmen have a strong sense of what is funny. We English-speaking peoples find out when we try to talk to them in French.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

Bible Thought for Today

RESTORE THE ERRING:—Brethern, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such a one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.—Galatians 6: 1.

Epiphany Service at Christ Church Tomorrow

Twelfth Day Celebration to be Observed by Appropriate Services

Epiphany, in the manifestation of Christ to the Gentiles, is one of the fixed festivals of the Christian Church, and is always observed on the sixth of January. It is sometimes called the "Twelfth Day," as being included in the Christmas festival. The whole of the Epiphany season commemorates various manifestations of our Lord as at His Baptism and the marirage of Cana in Galilee. But the day itself is especially associated with the visit of the Magi bearing gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh to the infant Savior at Bethlehem. Tradition has given to the three kings, or Wise Men, the names of Gasper, Melchior and Balthazar. Epiphany is the great missionary season of the church, and an epiphany service will be held in Old Christ Church tomorrow.

MINERS MAY MARCH AGAIN

Gather at Scotts Run to Protest Reported Agreement on Open Shop Basis

Morgantown, W. Va., Jan. 5.—Sheriff William Yost left this afternoon for the Scotts Run coal field, between here and Fairmont, where his office is and announced miners were congregating with the avowed intention of marching into the Custom Run territory as a protest against an alleged agreement of the miners of the Gilbert-Davis mine to work on a non union basis.

It was also reported to the Sheriff that some 200 men early today made a demonstration against the Bunker Hill mine, which is said to have been operated on a non-union basis for several months, and induced the men to go out. Later reports to him were that men at the Almina mine in the same neighborhood had been called out. The center of activity, it was stated, was Osego.

After investigating the occurrences of the morning, Sheriff Yost declined to take action against the men unless warrants charging them with violation of the law were given him, his office stated.

E. H. Gilbert, president of the Gilbert Davis Coal Company said there was no truth in reports that its mine was to be opened today on an open shop agreement.

Indianapolis, Jan. 5.—The meeting of coal operators of the Central competitive field with officers of the United Mine Workers of America, was called to meet at Pittsburgh Friday, by John L. Lewis, president of the union.

The Pittsburgh meeting was called for the purpose of fixing a date for holding negotiations on a wage agreement to become effective next April, and Mr. Lewis, in a formal statement, declared the meeting was abandoned because the operators refused to meet with the miners.

Mr. Lewis added that the union would be ready to meet with the operators whenever possible, but he said it would have been futile to hold the Pittsburgh meeting because operators in Western Pennsylvania and the two largest Ohio districts had refused to participate in it.

Ryan-Brill Wedding in St. Paul's Church

Washington, D. C., Jan. 5.—Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the St. Paul's Catholic Church 15th and V streets northwest, Miss Kathryn T. Brill daughter of Mrs. Jacob Brill of 1822 New Hampshire avenue, this city, was united in marriage with Mr. William Andrew Ryan of Brooklyn, N. Y. Rev. Father Carroll, assisted by Rev. L. F. Kelly, Alexandria, officiated at the ceremony and the nuptial mass which followed.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Francis E. Brill, wore a gown of white satin Canton crepe with panels falling from the shoulders. Her tulle veil was arranged in cap fashion and held by a wreath of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of white bride roses and lilies of the valley.

Miss Edna Brill of Cleveland, Ohio, the bride's only attendant was dressed in blue taffeta combined with silver taffeta, and wore a hat of silver lace. She carried pink roses.

Mrs. Jacob Brill, mother of the bride, wore black Canton crepe with hat to match.

Mr. Leo Kney, of New York, was best man for the bridegroom.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Flynn of Cleveland and Mrs. Kirby of Baltimore.

On account of mourning in the family of the bride no reception followed the ceremonies at the church.

Visitor—"How much milk does the old cow give?"

Farm-Hand—"About eight quarts a day mum."

Visitor—"And how much of that do you sell?"

Farm-Hand—"About twelve, mum!"

The Passing Show (London).

VIRGINIA NEWS PARAGRAPHED

Richmond—General Jo Lane Stern, chairman of the General Committee on Reception and Entertainment of Confederate Veterans, has called a meeting of the committee for Tuesday night, January 10, at 8 o'clock on the sixth floor of the Jefferson Hotel, for the purpose of organizing for the work of preparing for the reunion to be held in this city next June. No money will be asked.

Fredericksburg—The authorities of Spotsylvania, Stafford and Fredericksburg are considering the advisability of erecting a community jail at Fredericksburg. If such a plan works out it would probably be a great expense-saver as there are but few prisoners confined in the three jails, yet it is necessary to maintain bastiles in each of these places.

Norfolk—Engineers in Norfolk and the vicinity of Hampton Roads are looking forward to the visit of more than 100 of their profession to this city on Friday and Saturday, when the executive council of the American Association of Mechanical Engineers and the Virginia section of the same association will convene here.

Petersburg—Justice of the Peace C. G. Pleasants, former civil justice and assistant Police Court justice, today assumed his duties as Police Court bailiff. At the same time Police Justice E. S. Clements took up his duties as Civil, Domestic Relations and Juvenile Courts justice.

Justice of the Peace Pleasants is the only magistrate in this city licensed to marry and is one of the two marrying parsons in the entire State, He is the first Petersburg magistrate to hold such powers. He was given these rights about two years ago and since that time has united in marriage several hundred couples.

Newport News—Prospective candidates for the office of clerk of courts may ask the Legislature to say how the next term of this office is to be filled. There is no specific statue covering the situation prevailing in this city, and while Judge T. J. Barham of the Corporation Court, has the matter under advisement, his friends believe that he would welcome some action by the Legislature.

THE SALVATION ARMY

Monthly Report of Charity Work in City

Beds furnished for men, 75. 42 of those men were ex-soldiers.
Meals furnished for men, 150.
Shoes furnished for men, 8 pair.
Garments furnished for men, 18.
Shoes furnished for women 4 pair.
Shoes furnished for children 3 pair.
Garments furnished for women, 6.
Garments furnished for children, 8.
Transportation—15 men to Washington, D. C.; 3 men to Baltimore, Md., 1 man to Philadelphia, Pa., mother and child to Chester, Pa., 1 man to Atlanta, Ga.

This is what the Alexandria Salvation Army is doing in your city month by month. We also have given orders for groceries to 4 families.

Please read this. Did You?
Did you give him a life?
He's a brother of man,
And bearing about all the burden he can
Did you give him a smile?
He was down cast and blue
And the smile would have helped him to battle it through
Did you give your hand? He was slipping down hill.
And the world So I fancied was using him ill
Did you give him a word? Did you show him the road?
Or did you just let him go on with his load?
Do you know what it means to be losing the fight
When a life just in time might set everything right
Do you know what is means just a clasp of the hand?
When a man's borne about all a man ought to stand?
Did you ask what it was why the quivering lip?
Why the half suppressed sob and the scalding tear's drip?
Were you a brother of his when the time came of need?
Did you offer to help him or didn't you heed?

Well if you didn't last year, well let's start now by helping the Salvation Army with their winter relief.

Notice—Send in your checks to this paper or to the Salvation Army, 321 King street.

Captain J. F. McIntyre.

W. R. Baumgardner Found Beside Track

W. R. Baumgardner, of 213 South Columbus street, was found in an unconscious condition beside the tracks of the Washington-Virginia Railway at 5:40 o'clock this morning near Hunting Creek bridge by the crew of a southbound train of which Frank Smith was conductor.

Baumgardner was taken to the Alexandria Hospital and treated for lacerations on the head and a bruise to his hip, by Dr. O. A. Ryder. His injuries are not regarded as serious. It is thought that he may have been struck by an electric train.

LEADERS THINK CLOSE MARGIN FOR NEWBERRY

Michigan Senator to Start Final Fight to Retain His Seat

OPENS TOMORROW

Charged That Administration is Taking Hand in Pennsylvania Vacancy On Account of Contest

Washington, Jan. 5.—Senate factions today girded themselves for the final fight in the Ford-Newberry Senatorial election contest from Michigan.

The case will be taken up Friday under an agreement reached before the Christmas recess and a vote on the resolution declaring Truman H. Newberry, the Republican incumbent, the legally elected Senator, is expected next week. His colleague, Senator Townsend, Republican, Michigan, announced today that he would speak Saturday in favor of Newberry.

A close vote, with present indications that it will favor Newberry, is conceded generally by Senate leaders. Mr. Newberry's supporters expect a majority of from three to seven votes, although a half dozen Republicans still are listed as doubtful, with their action said to depend in part on whether Senator Newberry decided to speak in his own right. Some Republican leaders were reported to have advised the Senator against taking the floor in the Senate, while others were said to be urging that he address the Senate. Some close friends of the Senator said today they had assurance that he would come here and speak, probably next week.

Administration leaders, in discussions today regarding the situation, were said to have determined to insure a complete record vote and were hopeful that an appointment to fill the Pennsylvania vacancy caused by the death of Senator Penrose would be made before the roll call. This phase of the contest got into the open Senate late in the day through statements by Senators Heflin, of Alabama, and Caraway, of Arkansas, Democrats, to the effect that President Harding or some Administration leaders were urging haste in filling the vacancy.

Senators Curtis, of Kansas, and Wadsworth, of New York, both Republicans, and the former the Republican whip, responded with a denial that the Administration has had, or is going to have, "anything to do with the appointment of a new Pennsylvania Senator."

Senator Heflin said he had based his statement on newspaper stories, and Mr. Curtis interjected that there is a lot of guessing going on." Mr. Heflin further declared he had been informed that the man to be named in Pennsylvania must agree in advance to vote for Newberry.

"I think," broke in Senator Curtis, "that from my position I know what's going on around here. I want to say that the Administration or any one outside of the State is not participating in the Pennsylvania situation. I want to say further that no attempt has been made to impose conditions on the appointment."

Senator King, of Utah, put into the record a letter from a correspondent in Michigan which asserted that the President was "rewarding" some of those who had taken part in the Newberry campaign with Federal appointments. The Senator named four men who, he said, were linked with the Newberry campagin machinery and declared if they have not been confirmed by the Senate they will "run into a peck of trouble" before the Senate confirms them. The men named in the letter were Earl Davis, recently appointed United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Michigan; James R. Davis, appointed prohibition officer for the State; Fred Cronenwett, division prohibition officer at Grand Rapids, and Edward J. Bowman, United States Attorney for the Grand Rapids district.

Although the Ford Newberry election contest will be taken up Friday under the Senate's previous agreement, debate would be unlimited until Monday, after which all speeches will be limited to an hour.

Steal Car of Police Judge

F. G. Duvall Has Auto Stolen In Washington

A touring car of civil and Police Justice Frederick G. Duvall was stolen last night in Washington. The car was parked at Sixteenth and Q Streets, Northwest. Mr. and Mrs. Duvall were visiting in the neighborhood. When they got ready to go home, which was shortly after 10 o'clock, they discovered their loss. The machine was locked, and a duplicate key was used by the thief. A report of the theft was made to the Washington police. Up to an early hour this afternoon Justice Duvall had not heard any thing from the missing machine.

FARMERS DRAFT STATE STATUTES

Six Organizations Represented at Meeting in Murphy's Hotel—Measures Being Prepared for Presentation to Assembly by Many Bodies.

Richmond, Virginia, Jan. 4.—Representatives of the six leading farmers' organizations in Virginia met in Murphy's Hotel yesterday and formulated the draft of the laws and changes in statutes which will be presented to the General Assembly, which convenes next Wednesday for a session of sixty days.

Attorney-General John R. Saunders, by invitation attended the conference, at which there were present the following: L. S. Hulbert, legal adviser United States Bureau of Markets; M. O. Wilson, of Keysville, representing the Tobacco Growers' Co-Operative Association; John R. Hutcheson, of the Extension Division, V. P. I., Blacksburg; O. A. Thomas, of Bedford, business manager of the Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union; N. B. Rue, of Roanoke, secretary, and George A. Lambert, of Rural Retreat, of the Virginia Farm Bureau; B. F. Moomaw, of Cloverdale, of the Virginia Horticultural Society; B. F. Gunter, of Accomac, representing the Eastern Shore Producers' Exchange, and State Senator J. Brad Beverly, of The Plains, chairman of the legislative committee of the Farmerss' Educational and Co-Operative Union.

The laws and amendments which are patterned after the North Carolina statutes, were not ready for publication last night, and adjournment of the committee was taken, subject to the call of the chairman.

While the farmers were considering their interests the announcement came that drafts of changes in laws had been prepared carrying out the recommendations of Colonel F. Nash Bilisoly, Commissioner of Game and Fisheries. These include:

A bill to prohibit the sale of black bass at any time.

To conserve the crabs of Chesapeake Bay and vicinity.

To prohibit the sale of deer at any time.

To prohibit catching game fish in any manner except with hook and line.

Prohibiting the baiting of wild turkeys.

To defer the opening of the game season until November 15 and extend it to February 15. (The season now opens November 1 and ends February 1.)

Making all game laws uniform east and west of the Blue Ridge Mountains.

To prevent the pollution of inland waterways of the State. This measure will be the most important of the laws to be offered and will bring on a fight on the part of manufacturers in Covington and that section of the State, where, the game wardens report, many fish are killed by the pollution of the waters.

Authorizing the Secretary of the Commonwealth to issue permits to allow owners of bona fide fox hounds, on which the kennel license has been paid, to run at large. This measure has the sanction of the Virginia Fox Hunters' Association, and will be presented in the House by Norvell H. Hundley, of Williamsburg, on the opening day of the Legislature.

Another measure will make the duck law of the State conform to the Federal law.

Meeting in Richmond today will be the engineers, architects and surveyors of the State to prepare amendments to the State licensing law.

Other measures will include a bill for increased pensions for the Confederate veterans, and th hundreds of local bills which will take their chances on the calendar along with the measure consolidating the medical schools of the State, the bill for a bond issue for better roads, the budget bill carrying appropriations for every State institution and the measure for the redistricting of the House and senatorial districts in Virginia.

Solons are beginning to arrive and the week-end will see every hotel and boarding house crowded with the members of the Senate and the House and the men who are coming to get their pet measures through.

SCHOOL FOR POSTMASTERS

Newly appointed postmasters will have to attend school according to the latest edict from the Post Office Department in its campaign for postal improvement. Newly appointed postmasters in offices of the second and third classes will have to attend one of these schools at a certain large post office known as the Central Accounting Post Office in each state. The postal schools make their initial bow to postmasters with the New Year 1922. Upon receiving his commission each newly appointed postmaster will be instructed by First Assistant Postmaster General Hubert Work, who is the "superintendent" of these schools, to spend about a week at these offices to be instructed on every phase of the work of a post office. Among the many things that the newly appointed postmaster must be taught are, how he is to meet the public, what a postmaster's place is in the community, how to educate the public in the use of the mails through publicity, how to handle complaints, guarding the mails and his relationship with the Department. He is told in a letter that his city's welfare to a very great extent depends upon his willingness and capacity to give it better postal service. Upon his return home the newly appointed postmaster is expected to write the Department and give a review of what he has learned and the value of the institutions given.

This short intensive course of instruction will be of great benefit to the public and to the smoother operation of the local postal machinery. In this instruction it is the purpose of the Post Office Department to impress upon the newly appointed postmaster that he is the local manager of the biggest business institution in the world, and he must become capable in the "selling" of the postal service to the public, which can only be accomplished by one who understands economy detail of his service.

"Ask your postmasters, when you want to know."

Service Men's Claims

A hospital clean-up to obtain data necessary for the immediate settlement of the claims of former service men now peding in the United States Veterans' Bureau has been directed by Col. Charles R. Forbes, director of the bureau. Representatives of the bureau will call on all men now being hospitalized by the bureau and obtain all data, including affidavits, necessary to the adjustment of their claims. The new drive will be supplemental to the nation-wide clean-up campaign recently conducted by the bureau.

In the Fourth District the hospital drive will be begun at Ft. McHenry, Maryland, where a number of former service men are now being treated. From there the squad will go to the hospital at Perryville, Maryland. The new drive will also be carried on in Virginia West Virginia and the District of Columbia. Plans for the drive in the Fourth District are now being made by District Manager Albert E. Haan.

Much of this hospital work has already been accomplished in the Fourth District. For some time back representatives of the bureau have been specially charged with keeping the claims of men in hospitals checked up, and this will result in lightening the work of the campaign about to be started.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of Columbia Granite and Dredging Corporation will be held at Rooms 1 and 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon, on Thursday January 19, 1922, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

2-11c G. A. Bonnet, Secretary.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Seminole Tribe No. 35 Red Men, will hold a meeting tonight in Alexandria National Bank building, meeting to start promptly at 7:30 p. m.

Potomac Lodge of Odd Fellows will hold its regular meeting tomorrow night in Odd Fellows Hall in North Columbus street.

All news for the Fraternal column should be in this office not later than tomorrow morning. All Fraternal orders are invited to use this column.

Mr. Ray O. Dans, Mrs. Dans and little daughter, Geraldine, spent the New Year's holidays with Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Bayliss, in North Payne street.

The Triangle Jrs., formerly known as the Dreadnaught Jrs., will tonight engage the team of the Elliott Athletic Club, of Washington, at eight o'clock in the hall at 409 King street

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Mr. James Nowland, who underwent an operation by Dr. T. M. Jones on Christmas Day, is rapidly improving at his home in South Fairfax street.

Dr. S. T. Hirst Hayes, formerly of this city, but recently in charge of the George Washington Hospital in Washington, has just been appointed on the Medical Staff of the Marine Hospital in New Orleans.

A very important meeting of the Retail Credit Men's Association will be held tonight in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. It is hoped that all mmebers will find it impossible to attend.

The regular monthly meeting of the American Legion will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce at 8 o'clock Friday evening. Annual election of officers. A full at tendance is urgently desired.

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold its regular meeting Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the Charber of Commerce rooms. Full attendance of the members is requested to assist in the making of poppies. Refreshments will be served.

Russell Mitchell Post, No. 609, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States will meet tonight in its hall in Prince street. The officers for the year 1922 will be installed at this meeting and a large crowd is expected to be present.

The High School basketball team will leave tomorrow afternoon for Hyattsville, Md., where it will play the team of the High School. The Girl's team will leave Saturday morning for Charlottesville where it will play Saturday afternoon, returning that night.

At the Richmond Theater tonight, "The Old Nest" will be shown again. According to the movie fans this is one of the best pictures ever shown in this city. The Ingomar will present a fine comedy "Be My Wife," starring that great comedian Max Linder. The Idle Hour will hold its regular weekly all comedy night tonight and will show Bob and Bill in "The Fox" and Larry Seman in "The Bakery."

This is Ladies' night at the Westminster Bowling Alleys. It has been said that Bowling is the best exercise for ladies ever discovered. The members of the Bowling Class are requested to be on hand at 7 o'clock promptly. New members will be welcomed. Chaperons will be present and it is hoped that a large number of the ladies will accept the invitation to be present. They need the exercise, says Captain Alexander.

Mr. T. L. Entwisle is reported as very ill at his home in South Fairfax street. He had a very bad fall on New Year's Day.

Registered at the hotels today are: At the Monticello:—Miss Pearl M. Hagaman and Miss Frances Dykes, of Bon Air, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Costello, of Norfolk, Conn., Fred L. Sherry, of Newport News, Va., Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Love and G. S. Bell, of Virginia. At the Rammel:—Geo. Lee, of Boston, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Allen, of Atlanta, Ga., Stanley Willis, of Paris, Va., C. M. Boston. of Richmond, Va., C. F. Holt of North Carolina, J. C. Houston, of Paterson, N. J., and Louis Tarquette, B. C.

An extraordinary photo play entitled "The Blasphemer," will be pre sented next Monday at the Lyecum, under the auspices of the Holy Name Society of St. Mary's Church. This picture is presented in eight acts, and is a masterpiece containing lessons never to be frogotten. The story of a great sin and its terrible punishment. The story abounsd in startling situations showing that love, faith and hope are stronger than evil. There will be a matinee for children at 3 p. m., and an evening performance at 8 p. m.

At the annual business meeting held at the First Baptist Church, the folowing church officers were elected: Clarence M. Wells, clerk; Samuel W. Pitts, treasurer; C. B. Spillman, financial secretary; John McCuen, assistant financial secretary; Melvin P. Pitts, chairman finance committee; Joseph M. Cornell, keeper of rolls; W. H. Starnell, chorister and organist; Samuel W. Pitts, superintendent Sunday School; Mrs. Charles Howard, chairman home department; Mrs. H. A. Taylor, cradle roll; Clinton Brown, president B. Y. P. U.

Any changes to be made in the regular church notice column by the different churches of the city in the Saturday Gazette, must be in this office not later than 2 p. m., Friday.

The annual meeting of Alexandria Post No. 24, American Legion, will be held tomorrow night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce at 8 o'clock. Officers will be elected for the year and other business disposed of. All, members of this post are urged to attend this meeting.

FOR GREATER ALEXANDRIA

Interviews With Prominent Business Men

When approached by a Gazette reporter with the question, "What do you think of the propositions set forth by the Gazette for a greaer Alexandria?" R. E. Knight, senior member of the firm of R. E. Knight and Sons, answered that he was heartily in favor of them all. "As far as the Ferry question goes, I have been agitating that for the past eight years—that is, ever since Mr. Leopold Ruben, Mr. E. S. Leadbeater and I brought the question up for the first time before the old Retail Merchants' Association. This Ferry will open up to Alexandria vast areas in Maryland. The districts of Piscataway, Oxon Hill and Broad Run in Prince George's County would be opened to Alexandria trade. In these districts about 5,200 persons have their homes and there are also about 292 truck farms, ranging in acreage from 10 to 40. As conditions are at present this large body of people are doing their buving and selling in Washington, which they can reach twenty minutes quicker than they can reach our city. These people's trade would prove a source of revenue to this city. The stalls in the city market would be filled and the competition would keep the produce prices within reason.

"In regard to the improved highway to Fairfax there stands a sign post at Fairfax on whose arms are painted the directions, "13 miles to Manassas, 18 miles to Washington and 14 miles to Alexandria OVER UNIMPROVED ROADS." This naturally directs the tourist, the trader and the produce man to cities other than our own. I hope those words, 'over unimproved roads' may soon be erased."

"The 'White Way' for King street is in a fair way to become a reality shortly, as the engineers are already at work.

"While I favor the improvement of North Columbus and North Alfred streets, I think there are other things of more importance to the city at present,

"I have been a school enthusiast as long as I can remember and hope that the new school building may be built with an auditorium of ample size, in which we can hold our big meetings. But whether or not the auditorium can be included, I earnestly hope that building may be ready for occupancy at the opening of the next school year.

"I have always been an advocate of playgrounds and therefore am heartily in favor of enlarging those we now have.

"The proposed Y. M. C. A. building should in no way be put in the background, for Alexandria has always been deficient in the matter of taking care of her young men. Especially do I hope that this proposition will go through. It can be put up nicely for $75,000 and I hope and think that the raising of that amount can be accomplished. It may require a good deal of work, but it will be worth every bit of it."

STATE NEWS

Petersburg.—The Petersburg chamber of commerce is making efforts to have Camp Lee converted into a large industrial center and with this object in view the chambr has been for some time in correspondence with two large northern firms for one or both of them to purchase the grounds of the camp and establish thereon large industrial plants.

The grounds which the camp covers cost the United States government close to $1,000,000. The camp is held to be an admirable site as a location for large industrial plants, being in close proximity to railroad facilities as well as deep water, being only a few miles from City Point, where there is a fine harbor.

Norfolk.—Caught in a rope that was being wound up on the winch of the British steamer Scythian, lying at the army engineers' pier, S. B. McLean, colored winch engineer of the vessel, Thursday night was decapitated. The rope wrapped itself around the negro's neck, and it is said pulled his head from his body before the steam winch was stopped.

McLean's body was viewed by the coroner and later turned over to a colored undertaker on Princess Anne avenue.

Newport News—While on a hunting trip recently at his place on the Chickahominy Tom Stearnes bagged a wild duck, which had been turned loose by one of the number of licensed government preserves. So far as known, Mr. Stearnes is the first one in this section to bag one. The duck had a platae with number 4747, and requested that the United States biological survey he notified Mr. Stearnes will notify them at once and try to find from where the duck was turned loose.

Fredericksburg—James Gallahan, of this city, while hunting with his son this week treed and killed a huge wildcat on the Carter farm, in Stafford County. Several guineas have recently been killed, and it was the belief of Mr. Carter that a house cat had been doing the damage until the wild feline was killed. It is supposed the wildcat wandered down from the mountains.

Fredericksburg—After carefully weighing all evidence presented the Falmouth Bridge Commission, by the State Highway Commission, Stafford Board of Supervisors and owners of the annuity and bridge property, the members of the commission have filed a report with Judge Chichester, in the Circuit Court of Stafford county, fixing the valuation of the damaged bridge structure over the Rappahannock River at Falmouth, at $16,666.66.

Portsmouth—City firemen, after an all night battle with flames which consumed two big warehouses in the face of a biting northwest wind, faced at least 48 hours, more vigil before the burning contents of one warehouse, a great store of leather scraps, will be subdued sufficiently to quench. The warehouses were over plug. No estimate of the loss could be obtained today.

Amherst—W. E. Sandidge, president of the Virginia Court Clerks' Association, has called a meeting of the officers and legislative and executive committees of this organization to be held in Roanoke Saturday, January 7th, to consider legislation affecting court clerks, which is to be agitated at the next General Assembly, which convenes January 11.

Richmond—Governor Davis has appointed Quinton G. Nottingham, of Eastville, shell fish commissioner, to succeed Thomas H. Nottingham. The term expires March 1, 1924.

Lynchburg.—An inquest conducted by a Campbell County coroner today threw no light on the mystery surrounding the burning of a white man in a dwelling on Fort Hill early Sunday morning. After hearing five witnesses the inquest adjourned to January 14, to be completed then. As yet no one has been reported missing. The county authorities cling to the theory that the man was murdered and the building fired to cover up the crime.

Mrs. William Jorg, of Richmond, who has been the guest of Mrs. Percy Clift in North Columbus street, has now returned to her home.

Tomorrow Friday, is the feast of the Epiphany, in memory of the visit of the Wise Men to the infant, Jesus. The service of Holy Communion will be held in St. Paul's Episcopal Church at 10:30 a. m. The Woman's Auxiliary Missionary Society will meet in the church at 3:30 p. m.

"Remember Suspenders Best Beloved"

"The suspenders were left behind, you see, to tie the grating with; and that is the end of that tale." That tale is one of Rudyard Kipling's "Just So Stories," a collection of narratives that fascinate every child at the age when the questions why and how are oftenest on the tongue. And so we who remember the plausible explanation of how the Whale, that immense leviathan, got his tiny throat, may inquire whence came Kipling's persistent interest in suspenders.

The refrain of the story is always about suspenders. The Whale had had been tempted by the Slute Fish to find out what a man tastes like. Of course, the reason why the Whale now has such an inadequate throat is that the Mariner whom he swallowed was a Mariner of "infinite resource and sagacity." The Whale found him "sitting on a raft in the middle of the sea, with nothing on but a pair of blue canvass breeches, a pair of suspenders (you must not forget the suspenders, Best Beloved), and a jack knife." The Mariner adroitly cut up the raft, fastening it firmly in the Whale's throat, and, as Kipling concludes: "Now you know, why you were not to forget the suspenders!"

"The Just-So Sories" were published in 1902, but the incident of the Whale was in print some time before that; in 1897, to be exact. And in 1896, Kipling left his Vermont home, where he had lived for four years and where, incidentally he may have become interested in suspenders.

During 1891 in London, Kipling met Wolcot Balestier, with whom he later collaborated on a story, and on January 18, 1892, Kipling married Balestier' s sister, Caroline, at All Soul's Church, Portland Place. The Balestier homestead, where Mrs. Kipling had passed her childhood, was in Brattleboro, Vermont, and here, three miles north of the town, sands "Naulakha," a bungalow which Kipling erected mainly with his own hands around a fine old Indian carving. The house commands a splendid, sweeping view of the Connecticut Valley, and in it the Kiplings lived from August, 1892, until September, 1896. Not all rural New England appealed to Kipling, but it appears probable that the dominating industry of a neighboring town was responsible for his interest in suspenders.

At Brattleboro, Vermont, Kipling's children were born, and here some of his poems in "The Seven Seas" were written, as well as the two "Jungle Books," and "Many Inventions." These children were probably the inspiration for the "Just-So Stories" and Josephine who died in 1899, at the time when Kipling himself seriously ill with pneumonia, was probably the cause of an immortal gift to children everywhere. Kipling and his children may have been intrigued with the ultimate significance of suspenders by frequently seeing a picturesque building, where suspenders were manufactured, in Shirley, Massachusetts, on the Fitchburg division, going toward Boston from Vermont.

A mill was erected on this site in 1770, which later was turned into a factory where suspenders have been made since about 1870. The building stands on the banks of the Catacunemaug, a narrow creek adorned with an Indian name which only the employees of the President Suspender Company seem able to pronounce, for they and the total population of Shirley are almost identical. The factory is in full view of the railroad as one leaves this old New England town, and from it may have been derived Kipling's refrain, "You must particularly remember the suspenders, Best Beloved!"

The Arabs first used orange blossoms in bridal wreaths.

Bachelors are barred from holding positions in civil service in Turkey.

SPORTS

Friday night at 8 o'clock in the Armory Hall, one of the fastest basketball games of the season will be staged between the Crystal A. C. and A. L. I. reserves, better known as Virginia Juniors A. C. Both teams have been going great this season, so this should be a hot game. Or Monday the 9th, the Crystal A. C. will journey to Washington to play the Comet A. C. In its first game of the season the Crystals defeated the Comets by a close score of 35 to 34.

O. D. Defeats Ft. Wash.

The Old Dominion Boat Club team defeated the Fort Washington aggregation Tuesday night by the score of 28 to 11. The locals led the soldiers all through the game, though they were hard pressed in the first half. Spectacular shooting by Roberts was the feature of the contest. Line-up and summary:

O. D. B. C.	Pos.	Ft. Wash.
Beeton	F.	Jones
Crilly	F.	Miller
Davis	C.	Frazer
Roberts	G.	Holloway
Oliver	G.	Ostrum

Substitutes: Kelly for Crilly, Friedlander for Oliver Shuman for Roberts, Hill for Ostrum. Goals from floor: Beeton, 7; Crilly, 2; Roberts, 3; Kelly, 1; Miller, 1; Frazer, 4. Goals from foul: Beeton, 2; Frazer, 1. Referees: Entwisle, Cockrell.

C. DOMINICI DEAD

Mrs. R. B. Brockwell who went home to Richmond for the Xmas. holidays to be with her family at the reunion, was met with the sad news that her father, Mr. C. Dominici had passed away early Xmas. morning, after a few hours of illness.

Mr. Dominici was a well known Frenchman, and merchant of Richmond having been in business there for the past fifty-five years.

Mrs. Brockwell is still with her mother in Richmond, where she will stay for a few weeks.

POLICE COURT

A fifteen years old colored girl giving the name of Virginia Brown was charged in the police court today with the larceny of dress goods valued at $25 from the residence of Mrs. Julian Beach where she formerly was employed. The girl denied the theft, although a small colored girl now employed by Mrs. Beach testified that she went to the place where Virginia was stopping and saw the goods and brought samples along to Mrs. Beach as evidence. The court sentenced the accused to serve thirty days in jail.

Three small white boys cited by Policeman Snellings for alleged disorderly conduct were acquitted.

A man cited by Policeman Magner for leaving the engine of his automobile running was fined $5 and costs.

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U. S. MANUFACTURES

The number of manufacturing establishments in the United States in 1919, was 290,111, as against 275,791 in 1914. The persons engaged in manufacturing in 1919 were 10, 815,883, as against 8,263,063 in 1914. The capital invested in manufacturing in 1919 was $44,776,000,000, as against $22,790,980,000 in 1914. The salaries paid in the United States to employes of manufacturing establishments, was $2,-893,000,000, as against $1,287,-917,000 in 1914. The wages paid out by the same establishments were $10,545,905,000 for 1919, and $4,078,332,000 in 1914. The total value of the products was $62,427,823,000 for 1919, and $24,246,435,000 for 1914.

That is to say, the number of establishments increased 5.2 per cent. in the five years; the number of persons engaged increased 30.9 per cent. The salaries of employes were increased 124.6 per cent, and the wages of employes increased 158.6 per cent. The value of the products turned out increased 157.5 in the same period. The raw materials used were valued at $14,368,000,000 in 1914, and at $37,380,124,000 in 1919, an increase of 160.2 per cent.

With salaries increased 125 per cent, wages 159 per cent, and raw materials advanced 160 per cent, it is easy to account for high prices the past two years. However, it is a matter of common knowledge that salaries, wages and the cost of raw materials are all being reduced to a normal standard, which process has been going on for some time. The year 1922 will probably witness the restoration to a normal and healthy basis. In fact the retail merchants claim that they are already selling many of their lines of merchandise at pre-war prices. In our opinion the trades have not been as progressive in this respect as the other lines of industry, including plumbing, carpentering, painting and general building construction. Perhaps this is because the public have not the advantage of advertised competition, and therefore are not as familiar as with those items which are daily placed before their eyes in the newspapers.

But the reductions in every branch of merchandising and industry are bound to come. Some may be slower than others, but even the longest lane has a turning. Those who are shrewd will not be the last to adapt themselves to the new schedules. The word "profiteering" has acquired an ugly sound to the masses, and while of war-origin, will probably be a permanent addition to the vocabulary of the people.

10 IMMIGRATION COMMANDMENTS

Washington, Jan. 5.—Ten immigration "commandments" have been adopted by authorities on immigration legislation. They declare that the time has come when this country must not only for its own sake but also for the good of the world adopt certain fundamental principles regarding the coming of foreigners to her shores.

The "commandments" which have been adopted call for fair play not only for the immigrants but also for America. Under them it will be possible for this country not only to treat all immigrants with justice but to treat all nations alike. At the same time without humiliating any nation or race it will exclude completely particular types of immigration which definite experience shows to be difficult to assimilate and absorb.

The "ten commandments" as put in brief form by Dr. Sidney L. Gulick executive secretary of the National Committee for Constructive Immigration Legislation, are as follows:

First, immigration should be regulated and selected both in quantity and in quality.

Second, no more immigration should be admitted of any nationality than we can wholesomely assimiate and in a reasonable length of time wisely incorporate into our body politic.

Third, no more immigration should be admitted than can find steady and useful employment without endangering normal American standards of lite, labor and wages.

Fourth, the numerical regulation of immigration should be flexible. When industrial depression sweeps the country, all labor immigration should be promptly stopped. But the doors should again be open when prosperity returns. It should be possible to take either step without waiting for special Congressional action.

Fifth, the closing and opening of our doors should be scientific. It should be based on assured and accurately compiled facts and statistics from every part of the country.

Sixth, the law should be general. The principles should be applied equally to every nation and people without arbitrary discrimination.

Seventh, the law should be courteous to all. It should be possible, without humiliating any, to exclude completely particular types of immigration which definite experience shows to be difficult to assimilate and absorb.

Eighth, the law should provide for the sending of expert examiners to the lands from which immigration mostly comes—this for the sake of both prospective immigrants and of our own land.

Ninth, the law should make possible a wise distribution of new immigration. The flow should be restricted or entirely stopped from given peoples, to already congested areas, and encouraged to go to those parts of America where it is desired.

Tenth, the new immigration policy should be distinctly patriotic. It should favor immigration from peoples easily assimilated and check it from other lands. It should guarantee equal treatment and a square deal to all aliens now in the United States. It should provide for higher standards for naturalization and then grant the privileges of citizenship to all who qualify. It should look to the creation of a substantially homogeneous people having a common mind, and a wholesomely functioning democracy.

The Sterling Immigration bill is said to be based on these "fundamental commandments" which place the needs of America first.

Communications

Editor, The Gazette,
Alexandria, Va.
Dear Sir:

In order that the people of Virginia may know just how well the Veterans' Bureau is taking care of the disabled veterans' of the World War in this State, I wish to call your attention to the Neuropsychiatric Hospital recently leased by the United States government and known as the Davis Clinic, situated at Marion, Virginia, and operated under the direct supervision of Dr. E. H. Henderson, Superintendent, Southwestern State Hospital.

Prior to the Christmas holidays we were presented with a very fine Victrola by the American Legion Post, Chilhowie, Virginia, the Women of the American Legion, Abingdon, Va., and the school children of Marion, Va., however, we have very few records; and ask that you be so kind as to request through your columns that any of your readers who have new or old records to dispose of might send them to us and therefore confer a great favor upon the service men located here.

We have a wonderful place here and wish to show the general public that the Virginia boys are well looked after and are given every courtesy and attention possible by Dr. Henderson and his able Staff of assistants.

I would be glad if you would publish the above in its entirety in order that the people of Virginia may know just how well the United States government, the Veterans' Bureau, and the State of Virginia are cooperating in the care of the disabled Veterans of the World War.

Thanking you for your assistance in this matter, I am.

Very truly yours
WALTER S. BUCHANAN.
(One of the Boys.)

CLAIM CASES LIKE DEBS'

The present standing of the cases of I. W. W. political prisoners convicted under the espionage act has just been presented to the Attorney General by Otto Christensen, attorney in the Chicago and Wichita cases This special brief shows that the I. W. W. cases are in every way analogous to the case of Eugene V. Debs and other free speech prisoners who were released from jail on Christmas day by an act of executive clemency.

A commitee of lawyers representing the American Civil Liberties Union has requested a special conference with the Attorney General to discuss these cases. The committee is composed of Francis Fisher Kane, of Philadelphia, former United States Attorney J. H. Ralston, of Washington, counsel for the American Federation of Labor, and Albert DeSilver, of New York. The brief proves beyond dispute that there is no difference between the defendants in the I. W. W. cases and other political offenders.

The I. W. W. cases tried in three groups in Chicago, Wichita, and Sacramento involve 100 men, who are still in Leavenworth penitentiary. The original charges against the defendants included what are termed industrial counts, involving the use of force or violence. The decision of the appellate court in both the Seventh and Eighth circuit reversed the decisions on the industrial charges because the court considered that the evidence did not prove the charge. These court decisions placed the cases of the I. W. W. prisoners in the class with Mr. Debs' case and the free-speech prisoners.

The charges against the men held in the Wichita case, only five of whom are still in prison, are similar to those in the Chicago case. Here again the decision of the court of appeals fails to sustain the industrial counts. Upon this decision most of the men in prison were released because they had served their sentences for offenses against the espionage law.

The Sascramento case, involving thirty men still in Leavenworth differs from the other two cases because the defendants were not represented in the trial by counsel and declined to make a defense in court. Their determination to be "silent defenders" is traceable to their conviction that both courts and juries had so deep a prejudice against war offenders as to make a defense futile. In this case a general verdict of guilty was returned and the court imposed a general sentence. To quote from the brief:

"If we are to accept the conclusions of the circuit court of appeals, both for the Seventh circuit and the Eight circuit, on the industrial counts, then, as to these defendants, there remains only the espionage count to support any sentence in excess of two years, and since these defendants have served the maximum sentence that could be imposed for violation of the selective service act, there would remain only to be considered their conviction on count 4.

"To support our contention that the defendans in this case should be classed only as espionage prisoners, we have the decisions of two circuit courts of appeals on identically the same counts, for these counts were directly before the court for consideration. In the Seventh circuit the court held the offenses were neither proved nor pleaded. In the Eighth circuit they held there were no such offnses against the laws as pleaded."

The position of these defendants in refusing to take part in court proceedings may be understood in the light of the Chicago case, when the jury returned in 25 minutes 400 verdicts of guilty in a trial in which the taking of testimony last five months.

FIVE AMERICAN SAILORS WOUNDED BY ITALIAN TARS

Washington, Jan. 4.—Five American sailors were wounded in the clash at Shanghai yesterday between shore parties from American and Italian gunboats, the Navy Department was advised today in a dispatch from Admiral J. R. Strauss, commanding the Asiatic fleet.

According to the report to the Department, the Italians, armed with knives, attacked the unarmed Americans. Admiral Strauss has ordered a naval court of inquiry to investigate the affair.

Four men from the Wilmington were reported to be in a Shanghai hospital suffering from knife wounds while the fifth, from the Isabel, was less severely wounded.

The injured, as reported to the Department included: Engineman Emil J. Riebe, of Princeton, Minn.; Ship's Cook R. A. Germer, no address; Fireman Homer E. Gilliam, of Spring City, Tenn.; Private William Shalongo, United States Marine Corps, no address, and Fireman William B. Nipper, of Newberry, Fla.

Tales Of Foreign Towns

Rome has a population of about 500,000 persons.

Florence, Italy, is known as the "City of Flowers."

Jerusalem was entirely deserted for a period of seventy years.

Toronto, Canada, has a co-operative cigarmakers' manufacturing company.

London maintains a laundry school, where girls are taught the true art of washing clothes.

Shanghai had an export trade with the United States for the nine months ending Sept. 30, 1921, of $49,907,782.

Sao Paulo the second city of Brazil, has one of the finest municipal theatres in the world, costing several million dollars.

In Shanghai, China, there are 13 shops devoted exclusively to automobile building.

The highest communities in the world inhabited by white men are Ticleo and Oroya, in Peru. These towns, situated between 12,000 and 14,000 feet above sea level, are the centers of etxensive American mining oprations.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

In the Corporation oCurt of the City of Alexandria.

Cleveland Garland Taylor, Complainant vs. Evadne M. Taylor, defendant. In Chancery No. 1968.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein, upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode, the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant from defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without just cause or excuse for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and for general relief.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect defendants interest in this suit, and that this order be also published, posted and mailed to defendant according to law.

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Fox News

NEWS IN THE GAZETTE 108 Years Ago

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE
Commercial and Political

THURSDAY JAN. 8, 1814.

Monday morning, Jan. 3, 6 o'clock.

Distressing Intelligence.—An express arrived last evening with despatches for the Governor from whom we have received the distressing intelligence, that the villages of Buffalo and Black Rock were destroyed by the British on Thursday the 30th. ultimo—that Mrs. Lovejoy, whose husband was serving in the militia was murdered by the Indians or British—that Col. Chapin was taken prisoner—that Maj.-General Hall has retreated and had his headquarters at Eleven Mile Creek—that General McClure had retired to his residence accompanied by about 150 regulars, as a safeguard to cover his retreat from an exasperated populace. The enemy, after burning and plundering Buffalo, again returned to Black Rock with the intention, as was supposed, of recrossing the river.

THE VIRGINIA REEL

The University of Virginia students are publishing this year one of the brightest college papers in the United States. The illustrations are admirable, the text pungent and witty, the advertisements well displayed, and altogether the publication would do credit to professionals in the city of the Great White Way.

The Christmas number of the Reel is a gem. The front cover, in colors, is not excelled by any of the Christmas magazines we have seen this year. The figures, the postures, the expression of face and attitude of body, are all eloquent, and the story they tell is unmistakable. Santa Claus, garmented in red, fur-trimmed and heavily-booted, stands with pigeon toes and outspread, mittened hands, his venerable beard seemingly awry with chagrin, and his erstwhile twinkling eyes filled with perplexity and amazement. He has evidently come on his annual visit to the Big House to see what Little Missy wants for Christmas. The dainty wee maiden, with rolled stockings and high-heeled slippers, low-cut, lace-trimmed dress, is seated in a chair, with an air of hauteur and disdain, legs crossed, blonde hair frowzed about her ears, powdering her little pug nose with a puff of the latest design, while a broken doll lies on the floor, scorned and neglected, as a child's toy of a bygone age. The design and coloring is by Russell Parrish. From this and other meritorious work we have seen by Mr. Parrish, we feel safe in predicting for him a future of unusual success. The literary work between covers is of a high standard. The parody on Kipling's "Vampire" is especially witty and apposite. We congratulate the editors and contributors on a magazine of such universal interest.

PICKFORD DIVORCE IS ASSAILED

"Worst, And Should Be Last Of Kind," Says Attorney-General.

Carson City, Nev., Jan. 5.—Mary Pickford's divorce from Owen Moore was "the worst of its kind and should be the last of its kind," Attorney-General L. B. Fowler declared in a closing brief filed in the Supreme Court here today in his action to have the decree set aside.

Miss Pickford was granted her decree at Minden, Nev., March 20, 1920, and in a short time married Douglas Fairbanks. When Fowler attacked the divorce, Attorney Gavin McNab, of San Francisco, asserted for the defense that the Attorney-General's move "violated every principle of institutional government."

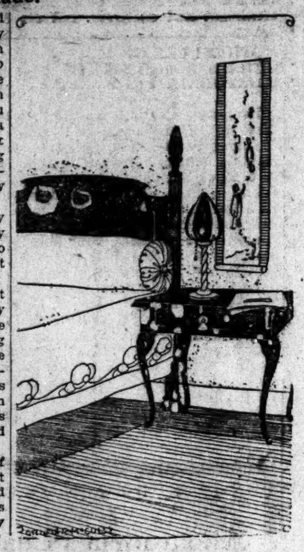
"No language can be found in any law that can be tortured into giving an excuse for the untruthful testimony of respondent and the fraudulent decree awarded her by reason of such untruthful testimony," Fowler declared in today's brief.

Farmers of Canada were required to answer 220 questions in the 1921 census.

HOME BEAUTIFUL

By DOROTHY ETHEL WALSH.

A Few Lengths of Ribbon Are Transformed Into a Lamp Shade.



We have talked about lamps and their uses for two articles, and now I am going to tell you of a lot of fun you may have making one of the lamp shades in to-day's illustration. The Christmas rush is over and although you probably felt Christmas eve you would cry if you ever had to use a needle again the chances are that just about now your fingers are beginning to tingle to be at it again. Still a little bit tired, though, so let's go slow at first.

Therefore, I have chosen this funny shaped shade as a starter. I say funny shaped because it really is hard to think of it as made of ribbon, but it is and this is how it is done.

A wire frame may be bought to fit over the bulb, or if your lamp already has a glass shade somewhat this shape you may place the ribbon covering over it. If you wish the stripes to be narrow buy narrow ribbon in contrasting shades. Sew the lengths together so that they converge from a center point, and then after it is placed over the frame gather it around the bottom.

If you have covered the wires of the frame with binding tape it is not necessary to line the shade. Around the lower edge place a guimpe so as to hide the gathers and a fringe may be added if you feel really ambitious

Being the Suggestions of a Doughboy on the manner of conducting the Next War, Together with Certain Reflections on the Conduct of the Last One.

1. That there don't be any next war.

((To Be Continued)

—The American Legion Weekly.

Starving Wolves Menace Russian Relief Workers

New York, Jan. 4.—The wolves of Russia, like the people, are starving, and are leaving their woodland haunts for the towns, making it necessary for American relief administration workers to go armed, said a message to that organization today.

Pack of wolves, described as man-eaters, menace travelers and the population at Elabuga, in the Tartar republic, it said. Emaciated children of Elabuga gather acorns from which a bitter bread is made. American relief kitchens are being installed.

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All of our friends who have not received one of our 1922 calendars are invited to call at the Bank and receive one. A number have been mailed to those requesting it, but to those who have not requested we will be glad to mail one upon request.
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Beginning tomorrow—Friday—our entire line of imported woolens—heavy and all-the-year-around weights, for both business and full dress wear—will be subject to your choice—at an
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DRAFT RECORD SECRECY UPHELD

Washington, Jan. 4.—The secrecy of the selective draft records of the War Department was upheld today by the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia, which reversed a ruling of the lower court holding in contempt Adjutant-General Peter C. Harris because he refused to produce such records in a court proceeding.

For the present at least Adjutant-General Harris will not have to go to jail or pay a fine on the contempt charge. However it was announced, following the decision of the appellate court, that the controversy will be carried to the Supreme Court of the United States.

Some months ago Justice Siddons, of the District Supreme Court, adjudged General Harris in contempt for refusing to produce an affidavit comprising a part of the selective service record of a soldier This record was desired in connection with a divorce case concerning Harry H. Walsh and his wife, Mary Walsh, pending in the Ohio courts.

The husband sought to get the affidavit into the record of the divorce proceeding, contending that it contained statements at variance with certain allegations made by the wife in the divorce petition. Adjutant-General Harris declined to produce the record before a notary public or the District of Columbia courts, and Justice Siddons held him in contempt. General Harris appeared in court and immediately appealed on the ground that law forbids publicity of the draft records of the War Department.

In this view of secrecy the Court of Appeals concurred today. It held that so long as the wife, Mrs. Walsh, maker of the affidavit in question, elects to avail herself of the protection the law affords the affidavit need not be produced, even at the demand of the soldier husband.

Attorneys for the husband, Ansell & Bailey, T. T. Ansberry and Charles C. Caldwell, announced their intention to take the case immediately to the Supreme Court.

"It is our purpose," they said, "to appeal this case from the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia to the Supreme Court of the United States."

Major-General Harris is a brother of Senator William J. Harris, of Georgia, and a regular army officer of many years' service. His refusal to produce the selective draft records and consequent citation for contempt attracted much attention and constituted a tes case to compel production

Among the attorneys in the case are two former army officers, Col. Edward S. Baily and Brig.-Gen. Samuel T. Ansell who were attorneys for Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, the draft evader. General Ansell, as judge-advocate-general, was in more or less controversy while occupying that post because of his protest against the courts-martial system in the army and the severity of its sentences, and his resignation was partly due to his determination to fight the courts martial system from the outside of the service.

Shot in Brain; Lives

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 5.—The ten-year-old daughter of Rev H. C. Whitener of Hickory, a part of whose brain has been removed by surgeons, is living, and the case is attracting attention in medical circles.

The child was shot while riding with her father, a .22 caliber bullet entering the brain. A part of the bullet and a piece of bone, which was driven into the brain by the bullet, have been removed, and the child is taking food. Even with the bullet in her brain the child did not lose consciousness.

New Silver Dollar Sought by Hundreds at Treasury Office

Hundreds of persons besieged the office of the cashier in the Treasury Department yesterday to secure part of the first issue of the new silver dollar, which made its first appearance yesterday in Washington, New York, Philadelphia and Denver. The Treasury had only $10,000 of the new currency, and by noon more than $6,060 had been issued. Only $500,000 of the 1921 issue had been stamped in the Philadelphia mint. Dies for the new 1922 silver dollar, which is the same as the 1921 dollar except for the date, are now being made at Philadelphia and will be available shortly.

President Harding at the White House last Wednesday was given the first dollar to be stamped.

Root Robbed of Wine

Rare Stock Taken From Arms Parley Delegate's Home

Utica, N. Y., January 5.—A reward of $1,000 advertised in local papers for the arrest and conviction of thieves who recently robbed the residence of Elihu Root, on College Hill, Clinton, disclosed the fact that the thieves took from the house a choice stock of wines, some of which were of great age and rare vintage. The value of the stock is not known, as Mr. Root and members of his family are in Washington, but it was said to amount to many thousands of dollars.

Bread 5 Cents a Loaf; First Time Since 1916

New York, Jan. 5.—For the first time since 1916 the pound loaf of bread today was ordered sold for 5 cents by one of the largest nation-wide chain store organizations.

During the last five years the pound loaf has sold as high as 10 cents. Last May it was reduced to 7 cents and this was followed by a cut of another cent last September.

Two Games Tomorrow

Tomorrow night at the Armory, two games of basketball will be played, the first game starting at 7:30, between the Friends and the Strollers. The Strollers are a fast girl team from Southeast Washington, and a hot game is expected.

The main attraction of the afternoon will be staged between the A. G. I. juniors and the Crystal G. C. The A. G. I. juniors are a fast aggregation, composed of some of the best players in Alexandria, and the fans who attend will witness a fast game of basketball. This game starts at 8:15.

On Saturday night the A. G. I. will play the Arlington G. C., a fast team from Arlington County, in the first game of a series for the championship of Northern Virginia. The Arlington's are rated as a first class team and a red-hot contest is expected when these good tossers hit the old Armory court. Saturday night's game will start the usual time, 8:15, as only one game will be played. The manager of the A. G. I. received word from the Arlington's that they were coming strong, with the expectation of breaking the winning streak of the Army boys.

City Coal Field Urged

Richmond Councilman to Propose Developing Area

Richmond Va., Jan. 5.——James E. Dickerson, member of the common council of Richmond, today announced that at a meeting of the council tonight he will introduce a resolution providing for an investigation into the practicability of the city of Richmond developing a bituminous coal field embracing 120,000 acres in Henrico county and four adjacent counties near Richmond, with a view to supplying the city with gas and fuel for its electric power.

Air Record Holder Will Seek New Laurels Soon

New York, Jan. 5.—Eddie Stinson, who, with Lloyd Bertaud, broke the world's airplane endurance record at Mineloa Saturday, is not satisfied He believes the JL-6 monoplane, in which he remained in the air more than twenty-six hours, is capable of even greater things, so now he is going after every existing airplane record.

Next summer he will go after the speed record for a closed course, now held by Bert Acosta, the altitude record of 37,800 feet, held by Lieutenant J. A. McCready, of the army air service, and other marks which are the goal of competitive flying

Many women in Siam are employed in workshops, in factories and on railways and roads.

A great majority of employes in the Spanish toy factories are women.

Women are employed as street cleaners in Constantinople.

The number of women employed in shops and factories in Argentina has doubled within the last five years.

Kidney Troubles

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MARYLAND MEN ASK ALIMONY

Baltimore, Jan. 5.—Maryland men have decided chivalry and women's rights cannot exist at the same time, and so a full-fledged "equal rights for men," movement has come into being here prepared to fight in the coming session of the legislature for the removal of many privileges women now enjoy before the law.

Their campaign will come to a head today, the day the "equal rights for women" bill is to be introduced, when they will introduce simultaneously a measure which would wipe out all present laws specifically protecting women. Among the "reforms" to be sought will be:

Require women to pay alimony and counsel fees to their husbands when they sue for divorce.

Compel women to settle fixed sums on their husbands when they obtain divorces, just as men now are required to provide for their former wives.

Arrest of women for desertion.

Hold women legally responsible for debts contracted by their husbands for the necessaries of life, such as food, clothing and cigars.

Require wives to support their husbands if the latter are unable to support themselves in accordance with the wives' social station.

Repeal the provision in the State constitution providing that a wife's property, shall be protected from the debts of her husband, thus making a wife responsible even for her husband's business debts.

Declare all women liable for jury service and allow no exemption from the law which provides that in criminal cases the jury cannot separate, but must be locked together as long as is necessary to reach a verdict.

Under present conditions, it was pointed out by Andrew H. Mettee, librarian of the law library, the women have much the better of it legally, being provided with all the rights a man has, and in addition many privileges he does not possess.

HOLY NAME RALLY

Prominent Member of National Catholic Welfare League To Speak

A big rally is planned by the Holy Name Society of St. Mary's Catholic Church for next Sunday. The arrangements provide for a general holy communion of all members of the society at the 7 o'clock mass. An enrollment of new members into the society will take place at 7:30 o'clock in the church. This will be followed that night at 8:15 o'clock by a social session which will be held in the Lyceum Hall. Anthony Barrett, of the National Catholic Welfare League, Washington, will deliver an address.

Mr. Barrett is regarded as an able and forceful speaker and it is expected there will be a large crowd in attendance at this meeting to hear him.

On Monday, January 9 in the Lyceum Hall at 3 and 8 p. m., the wonderful film drama entitled, "The Blasphemer" will be shown under the auspices of the Holy Name Society.

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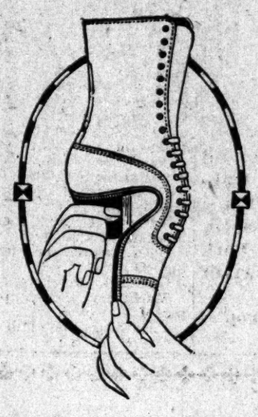
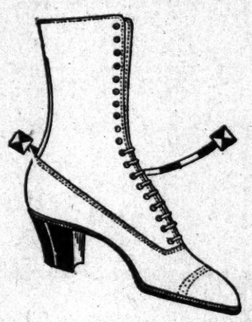


How to Be Happy

Happiness requires many things. She is a fickle goddess who is always hungry for something. It is not necessarily wealth that she wants, for the wealthy are notoriously unhappy. Nor beauty, for the greatest beauty grows out of sorrow. Nor health alone, for the strong physique is often discontented.

If you can't put your finger on the formula for being happy, try to remove the causes of unhappiness. One and only one thing—perhaps a very little thing—will make you unhappy. An uncomfortable shoe, for instance.



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Praise For The Gazette

Jan. 3, 1922

Editor, Alexandria Gazette,
Dear Sir:

Well you accept my congratulations on your excellent editorial of last night as to Alexandria's material needs. I trust it was generally read and will be discussed, unifying public sentiment and endeavor. Let me add also that the advertisement of Mrs. Hall's lost cape in Saturday's paper brought immediate and most gratifying results. The cape was returned that evening.

Cordially,
PERCY FOSTER HALL.

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NOTICE

A super photo-play entitled "The Blasphemer," under the auspices of the Holy Name Society of St. Mary's Church, Lyceum Hall, Monday, Jan. 9th., at 3 and 8 p. m. Adults 35c; children 15c. 4—4-P

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Fancy Irish Cobbler Potatoes, 7 lbs. - 20c

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Chum Salmon, can	10c	Quaker Oats, large family size	27c
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Corn, No. 2 can	11c	Post Tosties, pkg	10c
Silver Label Peas, can	12½c	Clymer's Preserves, 1 lb. jar	20c
Raisins, new stock, pkg	22 1-2c	Harvester Apple Butter, 18 oz. jar	20c
Fancy cut Beets, can	15c	Campbell's Soups, can	10c
Eagle Brand Milk, can	20c	Cream Corn Starch, 1 lb. pkg	11c
Challenge Brand Milk, can	15c	Argo Corn Starch, 1 lb. pkg	8½c
Quaker Oats, pkg	11c	Aunt Jemima Pancake flour	14c
		Virginia Sweet Pancake flour	13c

FLOUR

Pillsbury Flour, 12 lb. sack	61c	24 lb. sack Patapsco Flour	$1.10
Pillsbury Flour. 6 lb. sack	35c	6 lb. sack Patapsco Flour	30c
Gold Medal Flour, 12 lb. sack	61c	Patapsco Flour, 12 lb. sack	55c
Gold Medal Flour, 6 lb. sack	35c	6 lb. sack Orange Grove Flour	25c
		12 lb. sack Orange Grove Flour	43c
		24 lb. sack Orange Grove Flour	85c

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LOST—ONE LADIES' FINE ENAMELed Masonic Pin. Lost some time ago. Reward, if returned to 10 Rosemont Avenue. 3—2-P

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SALESMAN — EXPERIENCED PREferred but not necessary—one that realizes the war is over and willing to get down to business. Address P. O. Box, 323. 4—1-C

WANTED—MAN OR WOMAN TO DO scrubbing and cleaning. Apply 433 South Washington Street. 4—1-C

WANTED—GIRL WITH KNOWLEDGE of cooking, for general house work. Apply 1001 King St. 4—1-P

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT — APARTMENT — THREE rooms and bath, electricity, gas, hot and cold water. Apply 220 North Columbus St. 5—3-1'

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FOR SALE—SEASON WOOD, $11.00 per cord; 2.75 1-4—5.50 1-2 stove lengths. Call 1051-J. 4—2-P

FOR SALE—NEW HOME IN NORTH Braddock, with all modern improvements except gas. Concrete walk to station. Price $3,850. C. B. Lanham and Co., 107 South Royal St. Phone 895. 4—4-P

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NOTICE

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 10 1921.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alexandria National Bank, will be held at their banking house at 12 noon to 1 p. m., on Tuesday, January 10th, 1922, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that might properly come before the meeting.

Alexandria National Bank.
293-26c. L. H. Dudley, Cashier.

NOTICE

People's Permanent Building And Loan Association

A limited number of shares of stock are offered for sale at $10.00 per share; easy terms of payment.

We can use a few sales ladies and salesmen. Phone 1255 for appointment. 292-26p

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the German Co-Operative Building Association No. 5, of Alexandria Va., will be held at their office, No. 526 King Street, at 7:30 p. m., Thursday, January 12th, 1922, for the elecion of officers and for the transaction of any other business that may properly be brought before the meeting.

JUSTUS SCHNEIDER
308-13c. Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the West Brothers Brick Company will be held at the principal office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Tuesday January 10th, 1922, at 12 o'clock noon.

E. Ethelbert Downham,
308-10c Secretary.

Dr. David L. Rose
Eyesight Specialist
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Washington, D. C.
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INTERNATIONAL IDEALS OF THE CHURCHES OF CHRIST

The International Ideals or Creed of the Churches as officially adopted by the executive committee of the Federal Council of Churches, which is composed of 30 great communions, with a constituency of 50,000,000 persons.

1. We believe that nations no less than individuals are subject to God's immutable moral laws.

2. We believe that nations achieve true welfare, greatness and honor only through just dealings and unselfish service.

3. We believe that nations that regard themselves as Christian have special international obligations.

4. We believe that the spirit of Christian brotherliness can remove every unjust barrier of trade, color, creed and race.

5. We believe that Christian patriotism demands the practice of good will between nations.

6. We believe that international policies should secure equal justice for all races.

7. We believe that all nations should associate themselves permanently for world peace and good will.

8. We believe in international law, and in the universal use of international courts of justice and boards of arbitration.

9. We believe in a sweeping reduction of armaments by all nations.

10.—We believe in a warless world and dedicate ourselves to its achievement.

QUALITY SERVICE

COAL

W. A. SMOOT & CO., Inc.

Southern Railway System

South.		North.
8:27 a.m...	Memphis Special ....12:13 a.m.	
*8:37 a.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg (Local)	8:48 p.m.
7:37 a.m...	Washington-Danville .. (Local)	3:18 p.m.
8:37 a.m...	Washington-Danville ..... (Express)	
9:17 a.m.	New York-New Orleans	10:43 p.m.
9:22 a.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg (Local)	9:13 p.m
3:47 p.m...	Birmingham Special ..12:18 p.m.	
4:12 p.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg (Local)	11:03 a.m.
4:22 p.m.	Wash'ton-Charlottesville (Local)	10:58 a.m.
5:22 p.m..	Washington-Warrenton . (Local)	7:53 a.m.
7:17 p.m.	N. Y.-Augusta-Asheville	7:13 a.m.
10:07 p.m...	Washington-Atlanta ..	7:23 a.m.
10:17 p.m...	Chattanooga Limited ..	7:28 a.m.
11:12 p.m.	New York-New Orleans (Limited)	8:23 a.m.

*Daily except Sundays.

S. D. Shelton, Ticket Agent, Alexandria, Va.
S. E. Burgess, Div. Pass. Agent, Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON-VIRGINIA RAILWAY CO. NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Winter schedule of trains between Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon, effective 1:00 A. M., December 1, 1921. Daily except Sunday and holidays.

Leave Washington for Alexandria, Mt. Vernon and intermediate stations: A. M., 6:00, 6:15*, 6:35, 6:50, 7:05, 7:10, 7:15*, 7:20, 7:25, 7:33, 7:36, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:10, 8:15*, 8:30, 8:45, 9:00*, 9:15, 9:30*, 9:45, 10:00*, 10:15, 10:30*, 10:45, 11:00*, 11:15, 11:30*, 11:45, 12:00* noon, P. M., 12:15, 12:30*, 12:45, 1:00*, 1:15, 1:30*, 1:45, 2:00*, 2:15, 2:30*, 2:45, 3:00*, 3:15, 3:30*, 3:45, 3:53, 4:00*, 4:05, 4:10, 4:15, 4:20, 4:25, 4:30, 4:35, 4:40, 4:45, 4:50, 4:55, 5:00*, 5:05, 5:10, 5:15, 5:20, 5:28, 5:35, 5:43, 5:50, 5:55, 6:00*, 6:05, 6:10, 6:15, 6:20, 6:30, 6:45, 7:00*, 7:20, 7:40, 8:00*, 8:20, 8:40, 9:00*, 9:20, 9:40, 10:00*, 10:20, 10:40, 11:00, 11:15, 11:25*, 11:45, 12:15, 12:50.

*Mt. Vernon trains.

Leave Alexandria for Washington and intermediate stations: A. M., 5:00, 5:40, 6:00, 6:15, 6:30, 6:40, 6:45, 6:55, 7:00, 7:10, 7:17, 7:25, 7:35, 7:40, 7:42, 7:45, 7:50, 7:55, 8:00, 8:05, 8:10, 8:15, 8:20, 8:30, 8:45, 8:55, 9:10, 9:25, 9:40, 9:55, 10:10, 10:25, 10:40, 10:55, 11:10, 11:25, 11:40, 11:55—P. M., 12:10, 12:25, 12:40, 12:55, 1:10, 1:25, 1:40, 1:55, 2:10, 2:25, 2:40, 2:55, 3:10, 3:25, 3:40, 3:55, 4:10, 4:15, 4:23, 4:25, 4:35, 4:40, 4:45, 4:52, 4:55, 5:00, 5:05, 5:15, 5:20, 5:25, 5:30, 5:35, 5:40, 5:45, 5:55, 6:10, 6:25, 6:40, 7:00, 7:20, 7:40, 8:00, 8:20, 8:40, 9:00, 9:20, 9:40, 10:00, 10:20, 10:40, 10:55, 11:15, 11:40, 12:15.

Leave Mt. Vernon for Alexandria, Washington and intermediate stations: A. M., 6:15, 7:15, 8:30, 9:12, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00 noon; P. M., 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 6:00, 7:15, 8:15, 9:15, 10:15, 11:15, 12:20x.

Leave Alexandria for Mt. Vernon, daily except Sundays and holidays: A. M., 5:35, 6:45, 7:45, 8:49, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00 noon, P. M., 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, 7:36, 8:36, 9:36, 10:36, 11:55.

xTrain runs to Four Mile Run only.

Pocket schedule may be obtained at all ticket offices.—Washington-Virginia Railway Co.

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Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac R. R.

South		North
	New York-Jacksonville	
3:32 a. m. ..	(A. C. L.)	11:30 p. m.
	Washington-Richmond	
7.57 a. m.	(Local)	11.47 a. m.
	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
9:12 a. m.	(S. A. L.)	8:30 p. m.
	New York-Florida	
9:47 a. m.	(A. C. L.)	6:11 a. m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
k10.20 a. m.	((Local)	8.04 a. m.
	Washington-Richmond	
12.02 p. m.	(Express)	2.16 p. m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
z2.07 p. m.	(Local)	8.04 a. m.
	New York-Augusta-Florida	
3.32 p. m.	(A. C. L.)	12.05 p. m.
	Washington-Atlanta-Birmingham	
5.17 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	11.55 a. m.
	Washington-Richmond	
5.27 p. m.	(Local)	*8.43 p. m.
	New York-Columbia	
8:12 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	7:18 a. m.
	New York-Jacksonville-St. Petersburg New York-Florida	
9.57 p. m. ..	(A. C. L.) ..	8.15 a. m.
	New York-Tampa-St. Petersburg	
10:02 p. m. ..	(S. A. L.)	8:28 a. m.

k sundays only.
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* week days. On Sundays 8.17 p. m.

S. D. Shelton, Ticket Agent, Alexandria, Va., J. B. Mordecai, Traffic Manager, Richmond, Va.

French Would Not Act As Did The Germans

Paris, Jan. 4.—Commenting on the remarks of Lord Lee of Fareham at the Washington conference the Liberte, in an editorial, says:

"Lately we have been witnessing a series of manifestations in the English press and among the politicians tending to represent us as nothing capable of resuming submarine war fare in German fashion. England, after obtaining the preservation of her powerful fleet denies us the right to protect our coasts with a sufficient number of submarines.

"Where has Anglo-French friend ship got to?" asks the newspaper, "How dare any one accuse France of secretly designing to commit the same crimes as the Germans? The French demand for 90,000 tons of submarines means 66 to guard the Mediterranean, the Atlantic and the Channel. This means really fifty when allowing for those which are always under repair."

SANITARY FISH MARKET
City Market

Will have for Friday and Saturday, frying and baking chickens, trap rabbits, fresh and salt water fish of all kinds, select York river and Potomac river oysters.

J. H. ROBINSON, Prop.
4-1p Phone 735.

NOTICE
First National Bank.

Alexandria, Va.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank will be held at the Banking House on Tuesday, January 10th, 1922, at eleven o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing officers and for such other business as may regularly come before the meeting.

293-26c. George E. Warfield, Cashier.

AUCTION SALE

Thomas L. Carter, Auctioneer

Sale of valuable lease rights, patents, machinery, tools, supplies and equipment used by The Stoner Chemical Company, Inc.

By virtue of a decree entered in the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 24th day of December, 1921, in the Chancery cause of W A. Lyons vs. The Stoner Chemical Company, Inc., et als., the undersigned receivers of said Company will offer for sale at public auction at the plant of The Stoner Chemical Company, located at Montgomery and Fayette Streets in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, January 10th, 1922, the following assets, articles of machinery, supplies, etc.

Certain mining right lease of property, located in the States of Utah and Wyoming.

Patented formula used in the manufacture of alum.

Office fixtures and furniture consisting of:

One desk two chairs, one stove.

Machinery and equipment consisting of:

1 Hardessy Ball Mill.
1 10 H. P. Motor.
1 17 1-2 H. P Motor.
1 Rock Crusher.
1 Ingersoll Rand Air Compressor and Motor.
1 Pebble Mill and Motor.
1 Centrifugal Machine.
1 Hoisting Crane.
1 Switch Board and some electrical supplies.
1 Oil Pump.
1 Pump.
1 Set of Scales Osgood.
2 Iron Tanks one railroad size.
35 Copper and Lead Lined Tanks and Vats.
2 Hoisting Buckets chain and pulley.
3 Wheel Barrows.
2 Hand Trucks.
1 Set of Stocks and Dies.
2 Big Kettles, Iron.
1 Large Furnace.
200 feet of one inch rope, with block and fall.
Big lot of piping, different sizes.
1 lot of Boiler Equipment.
1 Lot of Fire Equipment some new hose.
1 Lot of Belting, some new.
1 Pipe Vise
1 Lot of Small Hose.
1 Lot of Pipe Fitting Tools.
1 Lot of Bricks, and Fire Brick.
Several Picks, Shovels and Rakes.
Material on Hand as follows:
2 Barrels of Oil.
1 Barrel of Paint.
1-2 Car Load of Alumnite Ore.
1-2 Car Load of Beauxite Ore.
1 Lot of Fire Bricks.
1 Lot of Lumber.

All sales will be for cash and will be subject to the confirmation of the court.

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CARL BUDWESKY,
309-10t.

More than 35,000 women are employed in graphic industries in Italy.

Women barbers are numerous in the towns and cities of Sweden.

Many women in Finland are employed in saw mills.

Women are the luggage bearers on the island of Capri.

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42-in. All-wool Fine French Serge, navy blue only. Was $2.00. Special, a yard **$1.39**

54-in. All-wool French Serge, navy only. Yard **$1.59**

54-in. Velours in black navy, brown, taupe, garnet, rose, etc. Was $3.50 Special, a yard **$2.79**

54-in. Heavy Mohair Plush Coatings, in beaver, brown and black. Was, $3.50 Special, a yard **$2.98**

54-in. Tailor Serge, navy and black. Yard **$1.98**

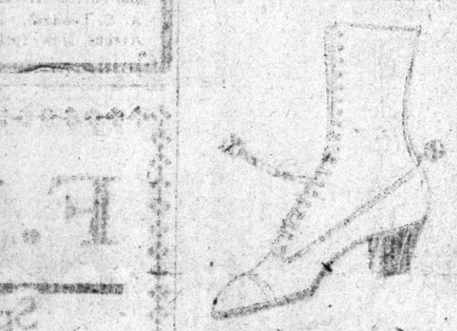
54-in. Coating Velours in black, brown, taupe and navy Were $3.98 to $4.50. Yd. **$2.98**

Kann's—Street Floor.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

On and after January 1, 1922 there will be on sale a round trip ticket good for five days, including day of sale, at REDUCED RATES as follows:

Between WASHINGTON and



	Adult Fare	Children 5 years and under 12
St. Elmo	25c	13c
Hume	25c	13c
Mt. Ida	25c	13c
Del Ray	30c	17c
Lloyds	30c	17c
N. Braddock	30c	17c
Braddock	30c	17c
N. Rosemont	40c	20c
Rosemont	40c	20c
U. Station	40c	20c
Alexandria	40c	20c

These tickets will be on sale at ticket offices in Washington and in Alexandria for Washington and Alexandria patrons.

Passengers boarding cars at St. Elmo, Hume, Mt. Ida, Del Ray, Lloyd, North Braddock, Braddock, North Rosemont, Rosemont and Union Station may purchase round trip tickets from conductors.

This is a very desirable ticket for those of our patrons who do not care to make the investment in commutation tickets.

We desire to call the attention to the various classes of fares now offered between Washington, Alexandria and intermediate stations:

Class Ticket	For use by	Good for	Total Cost	Cost per Trip
Between WASHINGTON and ST. ELMO, HUME, MT. IDA.				
52 Trip	1 person	1 month	$5.58	$.107
26 Trip	1 person	1 month	$3.25	$.125
25 Trip	Family of 5	2 months	$2.63	$.106
One Way	Purchaser	Day of sale	$ .15	$.15
Round Trip	Purchaser	Five days	$ .25	$.125
Between WASHINGTON and DEL RAY, N. BRADDOCK, BRADDOCK				
52 Trip	1 person	1 month	$5.58	$.107
26 Trip	1 person	1 month	$3.25	$.125
25 Trip	Family of 5	2 months	$3.15	$.126
One Way	Purchaser	Day of sale	$ .18	$.18
Round Trip	Purchaser	Five days	$ .30	$.15
Between WASHINGTON and N. ROSEMONT, ROSEMONT, UNION STATION, ALEXANDRIA.				
52 Trip	1 person	1 month	$5.58	$.107
26 Trip	1 person	1 month	$3.25	$.125
25 Trip	Family of 5	2 months	$4.20	$.168
One Way	Purchaser	Day of sale	$ .24	$.24
Round Trip	Purchaser	Five days	$ .40	$.20

WASHINGTON-VIRGINIA RAILWAY COMPANY

DIMINISHING YOUR RESISTANCE

While many and various factors tend to lower the resistance of the body to germ infection, just as vaccination and innoculation against certain diseases increase it, the idea that these factors act equally in all kinds of infection is erroneous. According to Rosenau's "Preventive Medicine and Hygiene," the principal causes which diminish resistance to infection are wet and cold, fatigue, insufficient or unsuitable food, vitiated atmosphere, insufficient sleep and rest, worry and excesses of all kinds. It is a matter of common observation that exposure to wet and cold or sudden changes of temperature, over work, worry, stale air, poor food and the like make people more liable to contract certain diseases. In the treatment of tuberculosis doctors are stressing the value of fresh air and sunshine, rest and good food in increasing the patient's resistance to this infection.

But though a lowering of the general vitality gives certain diseases a better chance to attack the body there are many infections, such as smallpox, measles, typhoid fever, scarlet fever, whooping cough and other diseases, which have no particular relation to bodily vigor but often strike down the young and vigorous in the prime of life. A good physical condition does not always temper the virulence of the disease; on the contrary, many infections run a particularly severe course in strong and healthy subjects. This would indicate that physical weakness is not necessarily synonmous with increased susceptibility to all infections, and that general debility lowers resistance in a specific rather than in a general sense.

This does not mean, however, that it is not vitally important to keep one self in the best possible physical condition, because the infections that gain most by the weakness of the subject are those we are most apt to encounter in every day life, such as pneumonia, tuberculosis, common colds, septic poisoning and similar infections, while it is comparatively much easier to avoid exposure to those that attack a strong body with equal vigor.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:
In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria:

Mary Evelyn McCracken, complainant, vs. George K. McCracken, defendant. In Chancery No. 2021.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein, upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode, the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant from defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without just cause or excuse, for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and for general relief.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect defendant's interest in this suit, and that this order be also published, posted and mailed to defendant according to law.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
4-4wp Clerk.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:
In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria.

Edmond Lee Hayre, complainant vs. Ida Ruth Hayre, defendant. In chancery No. 2019.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein, upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode, the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

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4-4wp Clerk.
R. B. Washington. P. Q.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:
In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria:

Orelia James Vaughn, complainant vs Edwin James Vaughn, defendant In Chancery No. 2018.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein, upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode, the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant a limited divorce from the Defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment and that upon the passage of the statutory period of three years, same may be merged into an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony, custody of children and for general relief.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect defendant's interest in this suit, and that this order be also published, posted and mailed to defendant according to law.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
4-4wp Clerk.
R. B. Washington.

SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG

LOOK, MAMMA, AT THE LITTLE DOG I FOUND OUT IN THE SNOW AN' COLD — CAN I KEEP HIM?
KEEP HIM? WHY OF COURSE YOU CAN! GIVE HIM A HOT BATH AND A WHOLE LOT TO EAT AND FIX HIM A PLACE TO SLEEP DOWN CELLAR BY THE FURNACE
DWIG
DAY DREAMS
1-6-22

THE AMERICAN RACE

Richmond, Va., Jan. 4.—Many travelers who visit Constantinople draw the wrong conception of the Armenian race through contact with the untypical and uncharacteristic types there, and do not realize the great suffering and starvation in that country itself. Not so, however, with one visitor to that country, according to a letter received today by Oliver J. Sands, chairman of the Near East Relief in Virginia, in which the warmest indorsement of the work of the organization in succoring 110,000 destitute children from death is given. The writer asks his name not be used, and writes to correct the impression he conveyed in a former letter and which he now admits was wrong.

"Thousands of Armenians have been murdered and deported without any other reason than religious differences and conditions are still appalling in th interior," the traveler, who is prominent in Red Cross work writes. "Thousands are homeless and none but America stands between them and certain death. When one stops to realize this it is impossible to feel other than sorry for them to say the least and I suppose I ought to let my experiences with a few, influence me and prejudic me against the many, which, of course one is apt to do after contact with a few of the disagreeable kind. I have always been given to understand by people who have been in the interior that the Armenian of Constantinople does not size up very well with the Armenian of Armenia, and as I stated before, the Russian and Turk are both thought more of in Constantinople."

Postoffice Department

Washington, January 5.—First Assistant Postmaster General Hubert Work said there was nothing signficent about the inspection of certain large post offices. "About two months ago," he said, "we selected fifty of the larger post offices for inspection in order to ascertain if the service was satisfactory to the postal patrons and whether a reorganization might not be effected which would readjust conditions more nearly to normal. Some of the post offices were expanded to meet war-time conditions and to a certain extent are still run on that basis. These inspections are merely a check on service. In one office alone $101,000 has already been saved and this amount will probably reach $150,000 saving per annum.

"It is an attempt to operate post offices with the minimum of help and reduce lost motion to the minimum."

If your leg is loose get it tightened before the table tips and breaks your dishes. All work guaranteed.—*Furniture Repairer's ad. in the Bremerton Evening Searchlight.*

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NOTICE
Citizens National Bank,

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 10, 1921.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens National Bank, will be held at their banking house at 12 noon to 1 p. m., on Tuesday, January 10th 1922, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that might properly come before the meeting.

293-26c. Urban S. Lambert, Cashier.

THE H. C. L.

The H. C. L. is coming down, the grocers all assert. They cite the price of good corn meal and say it's cheap as dirt. They say that cabbage, bacon, beans and all such truck as these, are in the reach of every one—likewise limburg cheese. They calculate that one can buy all sorts and kinds of eats at ten, fifteen and twenty off, except the fancy meats; the standard goods put up in cans, tomatoes, corn and kraut and peaces, pears and apricots—are yet about as high as they have been for many moons, because of last year's drought. The common cuts of good stew beef are not quite out of sight, but turkeys, chickens, ducks and geese are due to take a flight. The turkeys up to meet the sun, the chickens on the wing; while geese and ducks are looking out for signs of early spring. Must sirloin steak and pork and veal and savory mutton chops stay on the hook above my reach while my poor income flops? Its rather hard for one who's raised on corn bread pork and beans, and's had a taste of high-brow "hash" to live within his means, but I'm determined that henceforth I'll hold my purse strings tight. I'll buy just what I can afford and curb my appetite.

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BY SEA
BALTIMORE TO
SAVANNAH
$24.78 One Way. Round Trip, $44.00
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$7.50 Shirts, now	$4.65
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402 King Street Alexandria, Va.

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"Not much," admitted Senator Sorghum. "A lot of those folks will go down town tonight and cheer just as hard at a vaudeville show."—Washington Star.

The pile of flints still to be broken was a very large one, thought the stone-breaker, as he gazed at it disconsolately between his bites at a large sandwich of bread and cheese. A ministr came along and gave him a cheery "Good-morning," remarking afterward that he had a deal of work to get through yet.

"Aye," said the eater, "them stones are like the Ten Commandmnts."

"Why so?" inquired the genial parson.

"You can go breaking 'em," came the reply, "but you can't never get rid of em."—The Christian Evangelist (St. Louis).

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Fancy Pork Chops, lb. . 20c
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